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Honorable Kenneth M. Karas United States District Court Southern District of New York U.S. District Courthouse 300 Quarropas Street White Plains, NY 10601

> Trustees of the Bricklayers and Allied Craftworkers Local 5 NY Funds, et al v. Gemini Contracting, Inc. and

Joseph P. Bernabo, Individually

07 CIV 9634 (KMK) Our File No. 26532,2031

## Dear Judge Karas:

We are the attorneys for plaintiffs with respect to the above-captioned matter which is a claim for delinquent contributions under ERISA. Summons and Complaint were filed on October 30, 2007 and for your convenience I am enclosing a copy of each.

Shortly thereafter the defendants agreed to provide us with documentation necessary to conduct a review to determine the amount of delinquent fringe benefit contributions which were due. On March 27th we received the accountants' report which has now been provided to the defendants.



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In order to save time and money we delayed serving defendants with the Summons and Complaint allowing the time to serve to expire. I would be most grateful if Your Honor could extend our time to serve for a period of sixty days by perhaps memo endorsing. By then the case will either be resolved and we will file a discontinuance or we will effectuate service on the defendants.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Very truly yours,

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SEE/jcd Enclosure

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Plantiff has until Jun 8,2008 to serve the Complaint